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EXAMINER: Friedhofer, M.

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FOR: MULTIPLE DETENT SWITCH

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the May 18, 2004 Office Action, please amend the above-identified application, as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract are on page 7 of this paper

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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